HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY

DEFINITIONS OF SUBSTANTIAL DEVIATION TO THE 5-YEAR PLAN AND SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATION TO THE ANNUAL PLAN

In accordance with 24 CFR §903.7(r)(2) which requires public housing authorities to identify the basic criteria the agency will use to determine a substantial deviation from its 5-Year Plan and significant amendments or modification to the 5-Year Plan and Annual Plan, the following definitions are offered:

Substantial Deviation:

• A substantial change in a goal(s) identified in the Five-Year Plan. For example, checking or unchecking a PHA goal box.

Significant Amendment/Modification:

• Significant modifications to major strategies to address housing needs and to major policies (e.g., policies governing eligibility, selection or admissions and rent determination) or programs (e.g., demolition or disposition, designation, homeownership programs or conversion activities).

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